

## MEMORANDUM

October 22, 2014

TO: Community Members and School Administrators

FROM: Awards Committee

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Commemorative Committee

SUBJECT: Nominations for the Children of the Dream Award for the

Annual Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Celebration

The Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Commemorative Committee is seeking nominations for the Children of the Dream Award, which will be presented at this year's MLK Celebration on Monday, January 19, 2015. Montgomery County, the City of Gaithersburg, the City of Takoma Park and the Town of Garrett Park jointly sponsor this celebration, which will be held at Strathmore Music Center, 5301 Tuckerman Lane, North Bethesda, Maryland.

The theme for program is "Honoring the Legacy: Celebrate, Serve, Remember." The Children of the Dream Award will be presented to one male and one female student in grades 9-12, or a group or club, which demonstrates outstanding character and community/school involvement. Volunteer activities may include a single significant project or an on-going effort, and must be above and beyond routine class work or school or community projects.

Nominations deadline is *Friday December 5, 2014*. All nominees will be acknowledged during the ceremony. Please send the attached nomination form:

Dr. Yvette Weir, Chair, Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Awards Committee Montgomery County Office of Human Rights, 21 Maryland Ave., Suite 330 Rockville, Maryland 20850. Thank you for your support and participation!